the Senate by Ms. Evans, one of his secretaries.

## EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The nominations received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 4:23 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 503. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, and the Uniform Code of Military Justice to protect unborn children from assault and murder, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 110. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress in support of National Children's Memorial Flag Day.

The message further announced that pursuant to section 3 of Public Law 94–304, as amended by section 1 of Public Law 99–7, the Speaker appoints the following Members of the House of Representatives to the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: Mr. HOYER of Maryland, Mr. CARDIN of Maryland, Ms. SLAUGHTER of New York, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

The message also announced that pursuant to 14 U.S.C. 194(a), the Speaker appoints the following Member of the House of Representatives to the Board of Visitors to the United States Coast Guard Academy: Mr. Taylor of Mississippi.

The message further announced that pursuant to section 5(b) of the James Madison Commemoration Commission Act (Public Law 106–550), the Speaker appoints of the following members on the part of the House of Representatives to the James Madison Commemoration Advisory Committee: Dr. Charles R. Kesler of Claremont, California and Mr. Randy Wright of Richmond, VA.

The message also announced that pursuant to section 12(b)(1) of the Centennial of Flight Commemoration Act (36 U.S.C. 143), and upon the recommendation of the Minority Leader, the Speaker appoints the following citizen of the United States to the First Flight Centennial Federal Advisory Board: Mr. Neil Armstrong of Lebanon, Ohio.

## MEASURE REFERRED

The following concurrent resolution was read, and referred as indicated:

H. Con. Res. 110. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress in support of National Children's Memorial Flag Day.

## EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-1614. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit of the Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Guidelines on Leveraged Lease Advance Rulings" (Rev. Proc. 2001–28) received on April 24, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1615. A communication from the Ad-

EC-1615. A communication from the Administrator of the National Nuclear Security Administration, Department of Energy, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report concerning a High-Energy-Density Physics Study: to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-1616. A communication from the General Counsel of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report of the designation of acting officer in the position of Administrator, Federal Insurance Administration; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1617. A communication from the Counsel for Regulations, Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity; Updating of EEO Policies and Procedures" (RIN2501-AC73) received on April 23, 2001; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1618. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy and the designation of acting officer in the position of Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1619. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a nomination in the position of Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller); to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1620. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy and the designation of acting officer in the position of Assistant Secretary of Defense, International Security Affairs; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1621. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy in the position of Under Secretary of the Army; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1622. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a confirmed nomination in the position of Deputy Secretary of Defense; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1623. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a nomination in the position of Deputy Secretary of Defense; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1624. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a discontinuation of service in acting role in the position of Assistant Secretary of Defense, Strategy and Threat Reduction; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1625. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a nomination for the position of Assistant Secretary of Defense, Force Management Policy: to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1626. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmiting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy and the designation of acting officer in the position of Assistant Secretary of Defense, Command, Control, Communication, and Intelligence; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1627. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy in the position of Assistant Secretary of Defense, Legislative Affairs; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1628. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a nomination for the position of Assistant Secretary of Defense, Public Affairs; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1629. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Office of Defense Programs, Department of Energy, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Packaging and Transfer or Transportation of Materials of National Security Interest" (DOE O 461.1 and DOE M 461.1) received on April 18, 2001; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1630. A communication from the Financial Analysis Technician, Michigan Air National Guard, transmitting, a report relative to Economic Impact Analysis of the 110 Fighter Wing for Fiscal Year 2000; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1631. A communication from the Acting Special Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Gulf War Illnesses, Medical Readiness, and Military Deployments, transmitting, a commemorative edition of "GulfNEWS"; to the Committee on Armed Services

EC-1632. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Monticello, Arkansas, and Bastrop, Louisiana)" (Doc. No. 99-141) received on April 24, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1633. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.622(b), Table of Allotments, DTV Broadcast Stations (Jacksonville, NC)" (Doc. No. 01-3) received on April 24, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1634. A communication from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Kankakee and Park Forest, Illinois)" (Doc. No. 99–330) received on April 24, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.